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Ivan the Great Takes Title of Tsar

In 1472, the Grand Duke of Moscow, Ivan married Sophia, niece of the last Byzantine emperor, and with a view to making Moscow, the new Constantinople, pronounced himself to be 'tsar' of all Russia.

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(1454 - ?) JEANNE LAINE HACHETTE

French heroine, who, at the age of 18 aided in defending BEAUVAIS against Charles the Bold of Burgundy striking dead with a hatchet the standard bearer of the Assaulting Army, which so disheartened the Assailants that they withdrew

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Russia

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of the Greek emperor.

15th century ¹⁴⁷²

The 0.0078 day/yr error in the Julian Cal; the discrepancy between the true vernal equinox and its Cal. date of Mar 21 by then amounted to 9 days. In 1472 POPE SIXTUS IV invited the astronomer JOHANN MÜLLER (REGIOMONTANUS) to come to Rome to superintend the necessary changes to the Julian Cal. but REGIOMONTANUS was assassinated.

in 1476 and no reformation took place.